THE ALABAMA CLAIMS.

Senator Sumner's Speech on the Johnson-Clarenden Treaty.

England's Policy Towards the Rebels and the Union.

The "Belligerent Rights" Concession, Arming and Sailing of the Pirate.

Our National Loss in Tonnage \$110,000,000.

We publish below the speech delivered by Senator n, on the subject of the Alabama ter Reverdy Johnson and Lord Claren-

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A rumor has come to hand of a yet more deplorable occurrence, but as yet it is unconfirmed. It seems that some time ago Measas Stern, Smith, Strickland, Sates and Pritchard, together with five white ladies and a child, settled in Tanna on some land which they had innocently purchased from Captatu Ross Lewin. A report has now arrived that all of these unfortunate people have been mussacred. Until, however, it is fully confirmed, people are naturally unwilling to give credit to so horrible actors upon the Tunna maives lend a great air of probability to the report.

Captain Ross Lewin has been arraigned at Brisbane on a charge perfected against him by a young south Sea Island girl, whom he had kidnapped; but, owing to the lack of positive evidence of the outrare, has been discharged. The natives on the vessel heard the crees for help made by the unfortunate girl, but were unable to assist her.

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As a matter of course there are candidates enough for the position thus veneted, and which the Legislature will fall by election before its adjournment. Among them we have heard mentioned Chauncey M. Depew, formerly member of the Legislature of this party in the House; alterward Secretary of State, and now Tax Commissioner, by Spontanent of Governor Fenton; always a limit working and thorough going republican and doserving of combience and favor at the hands of the party; Judge 5. D. Calver, who has done public service and demonstrated his ability on the before, as a legislator and in a diplomatic capacity, and who is perhaps best known as one of the most effective platity my party and the public Supervisor Henry Smith, of New York, whose reputation is more local, but who is thoroughly accommend with the wants and wishes of the city, and Mr. Dutcher, recently appointed Supervisor of Internal Revenue for the Southern district of his state. The office is one of sufficient honor, influence and emolument to attract good material, and there will be no difficulty in making a proper selection. Mr. Actor is a thorough grepublican, and the political majority of the Legislature turnishes an assurance that, as is proper, he will be succeeded by another of the same stripe.

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